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NO. CV-04-025 FVS

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO: **ALL ACTIONS**

CLASS ACTION

[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFFS' MIL TO PRECLUDE **EVIDENCE AND ARGUMENT** CONCERNING THE SEC'S FAILURE TO PROCEED AGAINST PWC IN CONNECTION WITH MET

Trial Date: March 15, 2010 9:00 a.m.

WITH ORAL ARGUMENT

This matter comes before the Court on Plaintiffs' Motion in Limine to

Preclude Evidence Concerning the SEC's Failure to Proceed Against PwC in

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Connection with Met. Having considered the following submittals to the
Court:
1. Plaintiffs' Motion in Limine to Preclude Evidence Concerning the
SEC's Failure to Proceed Against PwC in Connection with Met.;
2. PwC's Opposition to Plaintiffs' Motion in Limine to Preclude
Evidence Concerning the SEC's Failure to Proceed Against PwC in
Connection with Met.;
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And the Court being otherwise fully advised hereby ORDERS that
Plaintiffs' Motion in Limine to Preclude Evidence Concerning the SEC's
Failure to Proceed Against PwC in Connection with Met is hereby GRANTED .
IT IS SO ORDERED.
Dated this day of March 2010.
Honorable Fred Van Sickle United States District Judge
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